

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LAW , JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4367
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WOMEN COURTS IN DELHI
RAJESH RANJAN (PAPPU YADAV)

Will the Minister of LAW , JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether women courts were set up in Delhi two year ago for disposal of cases relating to crime against women;
- (b) if so, the details of such courts alongwith the locations thereof;
- (c) whether a large number of cases are still pending in these courts;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps taken by the Government to dispose of these cases expeditiously?

Answer

THE MINISER OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI RAM JETHMALANI)

(a)&(b):According to information available, four Women courts are functioning in Delhi with effect from 1.9.94. These include- one court of Additional Sessions Judge at Tis Hazari and three courts of Metropolitan Magistrates, one court each at Tis Hazari, New Delhi and Karkardooma (Shahdara).

(c)&(d):As on 31.12.1999, the pendency of cases in the Mahila Sessions Court set up at Tis Hazari was 673 and at the three Mahila Magisterial Courts was 2014.

(e) :Every possible step is being taken for the early disposal of these cases.